transmitted to said Court. Said original papers, including the testimony shall be transmitted to the Court of Appeals within five (5) days from the taking of the appeal.

## 19A-11. GENERAL POWERS OF BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF ELECTIONS.

The Board of Supervisors of Elections is hereby authorized and empowered to do any and all acts, the carrying out of which is committed to them by The Town Charter for voting by persons who are absentee voters, and to accept and expend any funds made available to them by The Town for the purpose of defraying the costs and expenses incurred in connection therewith, including their services. The Board of Election Supervisors are hereby authorized and empowered to use any and all facilities that may be furnished by the Town for the purpose of transmitting to and from absentee voters applications for absentee ballots, envelopes, instructions and all other printed matter that may be permitted to be transmitted by the Town Charter and generally to cooperate in every way with military and civil officers of the United States and with all such departments, commissions and agencies thereof in order to enable such persons to vote.

## 19A-12. AUTHORITY TO CHANGE BALLOTS AND MATERIALS TO CONFORM TO CONGRESSIONAL ACT.

If any act or acts of Congress, now or hereafter in effect, providing for voting by mail of all or any of the persons who are absentee residents or voters, as defined in this subtitle, requires the execution of an oath on the ballot envelope, or otherwise, or requires other printing on any of said ballot material, which is different from that required on the ballot envelope or other ballot material as provided in this subtitle, such ballot if completed in accordance with such act of Congress, whether or not completed in accordance with this subtitle, shall be accepted as having complied with the requirements of this subtitle, provided any such change does not conflict with any provision of the Charter of this Town and shall not provide or prescribe any oath which would not furnish the information needed to enable any board to register the affiant as a qualified voter under the charter of said Town.

## 19A-13. PENALTIES.

Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this subtitle shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than two years, or both, in the discretion of the court. These penalties shall be in addition to the penalties as provided in Section 29 of the charter of said Town.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the date of adoption of this Resolution is , and the amendment to the charter of the Town of Elkton by the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton hereby proposed by this enactment shall become effective fifty (50) days after final enactment, unless a proper petition for referendum hereof shall be filed as permitted by law, provided a complete and exact copy of this Resolution shall be posted in the Town Hall of Elkton for a period of forty (40) days following enactment of said Resolution, and provided further, that a copy or fair summary of the proposed amendment shall be published in the "Cecil Whig" or "Cecil Democrat," a newspaper of general circulation in the Town of Elkton, once in each of the weeks of